

## REMARKS

A petition for a further one month extension of time has today been filed as a separate paper and a copy is attached hereto.

New claims 26 and 27 limit the independent product claims to read "a single compound," As described at page 5, line 5 and page 7, lines 18-25.

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